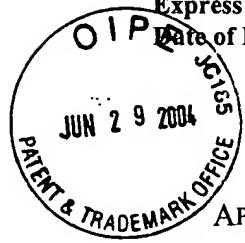


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**Response to January 29, 2004 Office Action**

Applicants submit this paper in response to the January 29, 2004 Office Action. A petition for a two-month extension of time, and the corresponding fee, are also filed herewith. With the extension, the response is due on or before June 29, 2004. No other fees are believed due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 22058-532.

Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.